

1 METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM PRODUCT
2 FOR PROVIDING PREDETERMINED-PRIZE
3 BONUS ROUND PLAY IN A GAME
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5 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

6 In a method, apparatus and program product for adding a "predetermined-prize bonus"
7 round to a game, such a bonus round includes activity that leads to the revealing of a hidden
8 result for the game. Where the underlying game comprises a bingo game, the game play result
9 includes a bingo card pattern and payout amount for an otherwise ordinary result of the game. A
10 player makes a selection in the predetermined-prize bonus round, but the selection has no affect
11 on the amount awarded for the game, since the amount is determined prior to the player's
12 selection.